



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: John R. Liddicoat et al.  
Serial No.: 09/760,222  
Filing Date: 01/12/2001  
Title: TISSUE ANNULOPLASTY BAND AND APPARATUS  
AND METHOD FOR FASHIONING, SIZING AND  
IMPLANTING THE SAME  
Group Art Unit: 3738  
Examiner: William H. Matthews  
Attorney's Docket No.: VIA-14

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AMENDMENT

This paper is submitted in response to an Official Action  
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Please amend the application as follows:

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